Baker County Give A Way Program 2023/2024

For many years the Baker County Weed District has managed a herbicide "Give-A-Way" program through Weed Levy funds paid by landowners. This program has helped hundreds of landowners in Baker County. A big portion of this program has been called a "Custom Blend Request Program"; however, Baker County has made the decision to move away from custom blending for the foreseeable future. In place of a custom blend option, Baker County Weed District will be **moving to "Give-A-Away" full strength herbicide in its labeled, sealed container we received from the dealer.**

What you need for this program to benefit you:

- 1. You need to know what County or State <u>Noxious</u> Weed you are trying to control. A list of these regulatory weeds can be found on our website.
 - a. If you don't know what weed it is, you may bring it along with you for proper identification. This can be a live plant (try to bring roots, stems, leaves, and flowers if possible). Or you can take a picture of it and we will try to identify the plant. NOTE: If you are bringing a live plant close to seeding/at seeding you will want to put the plant in a grocery/trash bag to help decrease the spread of Noxious Weeds.
- 2. Fill out the appropriate form provided by the County when you show up that states you are requesting to partake in the Give-A-Way program. We will aid in providing you with the right herbicide that fits your Noxious Weed treatment plan and site (lawn, empty lot, pasture or range, etc). Upon receiving herbicide, you will receive written and verbal instructions to mix your herbicide in your own tank. If you have trouble with mixing your herbicide, please don't hesitate to reach out to us. We are here to help you control **Noxious Weeds**!

We will host this Give-A-Way program on the following schedule at the listed locations while supplies last. Remember these times are tentative and may change with notice.

Baker City - May 17; July 12; September 13

-Baker County Weed District Office - 1120 S Bridge St, Baker City 2:00 - 5:00pm

Richland and Halfway - May 10; July 19; September 1

- -Richland at the County Triangle on New Bridge/Highway 86 Intersection. 9:00 11:00am
- Halfway at the County Yard. 1:00 4:00pm

Huntington - May 31; August 2; September 27

-Lions Park. 10:00 - 12:00PM

Sumpter and Hereford/Unity - May 24; July 26; September 20

- Sumpter at Volunteer Park 9:00 11:00am
- -- Hereford/Unity- at Ralph and Cori Morrin's place 12:00 3:00pm

Please Note: To help all Baker County landowners with Noxious Weed control, Baker County will be monitoring landowner participation in programs. This means that if you, a landowner, want to partake in the Giveaway program your participation in the Cost Share may be prohibited.